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Kittery Beach Re-opens May 8

In case the other beaches of GTMO are losing their appeal, residents can look forward to the re-opening of Kittery Beach on Saturday, May 8. Crews have been working hard to re-establish access to the beach, as well as make improvements and renovations to the existing facilities.

To gain access to the beach, residents drive on Kittery Beach Road toward the rifle range just past TK Housing. There is a sign directing you where to turn. Due to mines, residents are advised to use caution and not stray off the dirt access road.

Beach hours are 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Kittery is a family beach and no alcohol is permitted.

Snorkelers and divers must have a BC when outside pool area. This area is subject to dangerous currents. No diving or snorkeling is permitted east of the beach. That is Cuba. A marker buoy is in place.

Also, there is no diving or snorkeling past 200 yards to the west. A buoy marker will be placed there as well.

If residents abuse the rules and guidelines for using the beach, it will be closed.

Base Chapel Needs Volunteers, Donations for Armed Forces Appreciation Week

May 9 through May 16 is Armed Forces Appreciation Week a time to thank, honor, and appreciate the men and women of our Armed Forces who sacrifice so much for freedom here and around the world.

The Base Chapel is putting together gift bags for NAVSTA and JTF personnel and asking for volunteers to help with donations of the following: cookies, candy, gum, toiletries, playing cards, etc.

Items can be dropped off at the chapel and chaplain's offices. Bags will be assembled Thursday, May 13 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Community Center. Distribution will be Friday, May 14.

To volunteer stop by the chaplain's office or call 2323 or 2842.

Library to Host Knowledge Bowl

Are you a Jeopardy fan? Do you have strange and random pieces of facts and trivia swirling in your head? Well, now you have the chance to show GTMO how much you know, and win some great prizes from MWR, too!

The Community Library invites you to be a part of "Knowledge Bowl," May 21 at the Windjammer.

All departments, divisions, and commands are invited to send one or more teams of four to compete for prizes and a magnificent trophy.

As teams advance, the competition and questions get more and more

difficult, in the end one winning team is crowned "The Supreme Keepers of Arcane Knowledge."

Teams will be assigned a number to determine their order in the competition. Our Master of Ceremonies will supply the questions, and answers must come from the team as a whole. A team of three judges will adjudicate when necessary.

Want to show off your smarts? Here's all you do:

- * Organize a team(s) of four to represent your unit

- * Call 4700 or e-mail Maxine Becker at beckerma@usnbgmto.navy.mil to give her names and point of contact information for each team member.

- * All teams must register by May 14.

- * Show up at the Windjammer, May 21. Competition begins at 7 p.m.

W.T. Sampson School Registration May 10-14

Registration for the 2004-05 school year begins May 10. If your children plan on attending W.T. Sampson Elementary or High School, come by the school office between 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. or 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

You will need to verify your child's enrollment data and update the health card. If you have a child who is going to attend the Sure Start/Pre-School Program, you may register him or her at this time.

The registration process takes only a few minutes and is very important in assisting the school to determine the number and grade levels of new and returning students. Once this information is obtained, the schools can begin assigning teachers and preparing for the next year. You can help the school avoid overcrowded classrooms next year by providing enrollment figures now.

Donate Unused Toys

If your child has outgrown some of his or her toys, movies or books, consider donating them to Margaret Elliot, W.T. Sampson's School psychologist.

Elliot is assembling loaner boxes of toys for children PCS'ing to and from GTMO. She is also seeking volunteers to assist her in the project. If you are interested in helping, contact her at 2207 or 7362.

PSD GTMO Closed

PSD GTMO is closing Monday, May 10, 2004 for training purposes. If you have any emergencies, contact duty personnel at beeper 4084 ext.1237.

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Dodd Family Gives Six More Years to Navy

Before departing for USS Hawes (FFG 53), MA1 Robert Dodd from Security Department, decided to reenlist at one of NAVBASE GTMO's biggest historical landmarks, the Northeast Gate. Dodd, along with his spouse, Kerry, and son, Michael, are dedicating six more years of service to the Navy.



NAVBASE Conducts HURREX 2004 May 4-14

The Naval Base Destructive Weather Plan is being put to the test this week during Hurricane Exercise (HURREX) 2004.

The exercise is used to test reporting procedures for the base, aircraft evacuation procedures in destructive weather conditions and help in identifying Mission Essential Functions and Continuity of Operations.

"The exercise, scheduled to run May 4 to 14, primarily focuses on safety and our ability to shelter the base population," said CSC(SS) Shane Thomas, NAVBASE Hurricane Shelter Coordinator.

HURREX 2004 is a two-week exercise whereby a simulated high magnitude hurricane slams into Guantanamo Bay and moves up the eastern United States seaboard, testing the destructive weather plans of naval installations along the coast.

Upon the recommendation of Naval Station's Meteorology Oceanography Detachment (NLMOD) Guantanamo Bay, COMNAVBASE GTMO orders Tropical Storm/Hurricane Conditions of Readiness (COR) for all commands and activities. NAVBASE tenant commands, upon the recommendation of NLMOD, orders COR for weather other than tropical storms and hurricanes.

A hurricane poses a significant threat to personnel, ships, aircraft, installations and other resources. Adequate and timely weather warnings, coupled with prompt and effective action, will minimize the potential loss of life and property damage from destructive weather, added Thomas.

In this issue of the Gazette, residents can find the annual Hurricane Edition. Inside, residents can read about preparing hurricane baskets, what to do with pets and learn some basic information about hurricanes.



The above Emergency Evacuation Shelters located across from the Cuban Club are some of the shelters used during a hurricane. For a list of the shelters assigned to those in non-hurricane resistant housing, see the Gazette's Hurricane Edition Insert.

FYI - Watch vs. Warning

A **Hurricane Watch** issued for your part of the coast indicates the possibility that you could experience hurricane conditions within 36 hours. This watch should trigger your family's disaster plan, and protective measures should be initiated, especially those actions that require extra time, such as securing a boat, leaving a barrier island, etc.

A **Hurricane Warning** issued for your part of the coast indicates that sustained winds of at least 74 mph are expected within 24 hours or less. Once this warning has been issued, your family should be in the process of completing protective actions and deciding the safest location to be during the storm.

GTMO Girl Scouts Go On Camping Adventure

The young Junior Girl Scouts of Troop 7 would like to give a special thanks to Tonja Campbell, Chief Tyson, Richard Buehrer, Emie Frye and all the parents for an exciting, educational and fun filled weekend of camping.

The girls and their troop leaders, Julie Barnett and Stephanie Niccum, camped out from April 23 through April 25.

"We had a wonderful time," said Barnett. "We went on a hike from the Girl Scout Hut to Cable Beach, learned about turtles and their tracks, and on our way back to the "hut", we stopped and visited Captain and Mrs. McCoy and the volunteers of the Historical Society."

On Saturday evening, the girls had an unexpected visitor. Lt. Col. Carol Laage of the JTF stopped by after a bicycle tire blow out (photo right). She took the time to help make S'mores and share some scout stories of her own before the troop helped her get home. The troop even made her an Honorary Girl Scout!

The grand adventure earned the girls four badges and three patches.



Junior Girls Scouts of Troop 7 shared their camping adventure with surprise visitor Lt. Col. Carol Laage

NEXCOM CMC Salutes Hardworking Employees

The local Navy Exchange had a special visitor at their annual Employee Recognition Awards ceremony Wednesday. CMDCM (SW/AW) David James of Navy Exchange Service Command was on hand to distribute Letters of Recognition, Creativity Accomplishment Hallmark Awards, Superior Accomplishment Recognition Awards and the Associate of the Quarter Award.



The following employees recieved **Letters of Recognition**: Hopeton Clarke, Kenville Ashpole, Cebert Bailey, O'Neil Adams, Garfield Sewell, Fabian Abrahams, Wayne Johnson, George Mitchell, Merton Gray, Russell Alberto, Richard Hall, Renal James, Reginald McLean, Anthony Navia, Richard Clark, Wilson Alferos, Raymond Waugh, Richard Myers, Errol Simpson, Christopher Ferguson, Rayon Edwards, Carlyle Davis, Howard Miller and John Dayes. **Creativity Accomplishment Hallmark Awards** went to: Paul Wint, Robert Hines, Nikisha Thompson, Neville Collins, Mark Johnson, Esther Lewis, Claudine Miller, Alva Sharpe, Celilla Goundry, Neville Gayle, Geraldine Dire, Gilbert Alleyne, Derrick Thompson, Davion Williams, Kevin Herrera, Carmen Gonzales and Vallin Williams. Kim Williams, Gregory Hunter and Derrick McLean were honored with **Superior Accomplishment Recognition Awards**. Right: McLean (center) was also presented with the NEX's **Associate of the Quarter** award by CMDCN David Johnson and Don Mohlman, NEX manager.



Windjammer Pool Gets Facelift from PWD, MWR

The Windjammer Pool is re-opening soon and residents can enjoy a wealth of improvements courtesy of MWR and Public Works.

According to Cmdr. Eric Denfeld, Public Works Officer, the pool was re-coated with a new fibre-glass lining.

"This process is similar to what was done to the other base pools about 15 years ago, except this time the lining was glued on in sheets while the old lining was sprayed on," said Denfeld. "Previously, the Windjammer Pool was lined with a concrete base stucco and required frequent repairs. The old lining had several large holes and was believed to leak quite a bit of water."

The new fibre-glass lining is also smoother and should not cause "skinned toes" as easily as the old surface. In addition to a smoother surface, the fibre-glass lining adds considerable strength to the pool walls and floor.

Most of the work done by Public Works is below the surface and won't be visible to most residents; however, visitors won't be able to miss the four new slides provided by MWR.



Above: The pool holds about 350,000 gallons of water and took PWD workers two days to fill.

Right: Residents have been enjoying Windjammer Pool since 1942.



Crimebusters Car Wash and Dunk Tank



A fundraising event for National Night Out!

When: May 15, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Where: NEX parking lot.

Dunk a Security Patrolman while getting your car washed!

This is your chance to get even for that speeding ticket!

Want to help out? Volunteer a half hour of your time to be a dunkee! Volunteers needed anytime between 9 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. For more details, contact SK2 Hathorn at 4359 or ABF1 Peterson at 4318.

Crimebusters is a nonprofit, volunteer organization within the Security Department. The organization hosts regular fundraisers in support of annual National Night Out event in August. Crimebusters serves as a liaison with the community in supporting crime prevention and awareness

Iguana Field Waterslide

Saturday, May 8

10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Cost is \$3 per child.

Hot dogs, juice, water, chips & cookies on sale for \$.50 each.



Sponsored by the FCPOA

A Look Back: 2004 NMCRS Fund Drive

The good men, women and children of GTMO turned out in full force to support the 2004 Navy and Marine Corps Relief Society Fund (NMCRS) Drive. With good humor and grace, respected community members subjected themselves to such things as pies in the face, dunking booths, washing cars and even serving "jail" time.

NMCRS representatives, MAC(SW) Jeffrey McKennie and

ENC(DV) John Theriot, would like to extend a hearty thanks to all the departmental representatives and volunteers who helped make the NMCRS Fund Drive a huge success.

The Pie-n-Face, Jail & Bail, Radiothon, and Car Wash/Dunk tank events helped Naval Station exceed the region's goal of \$10,000. Watch for the final tally in next week's Gazette!



Radiothon 2004 Nets Big Bucks for NMCRS

By JO1 Kristen Loeding

Naval Media Center, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba

The long, blue hallway leading down to the main studio at the Naval Media Center (NMC) normally looks dull and dreary, but not last week. The studio and NMC personnel played host to the fun, laughter and music that was Radiothon 2004.

It was all in the name of fun - the challenges, the pledges, the songs, the singing - and it was all for a good cause. NMCRS provides financial, educational and other assistance to active duty and retired members of the Naval Services and their eligible family members. In Guantanamo Bay, NMCRS not only provides assistance to Sailors and Marines, but also to Soldiers, Airmen and Coast Guardsmen.

Throughout the week-long Radiothon event, volunteers offered their time to answer phones and take pledges. Quite often you would hear, "I have a bump, this song is being bumped," yelled out by a volunteer as they scrambled to get the information and music to the on-air disc jockey.



Radiothon volunteer, Cheryl Hairston, pulls a CD from the shelf to give to the "on air" disc jockey during Radiothon 2004.

"I really had a great time," said Howard Kingsley, a Radiothon volunteer. "I wish I would have had the extra time to come out every day to help with Radiothon." All the volunteers who helped out had a great time, including Cheryl Hairston, who got caught up in



NMC Broadcaster JO2(SW) Jason Perry utters the Radiothon phrase listeners love and dread hearing - "You've been bumped!"

the action and even got pulled in the studio to sing during one of the challenges.

The DJs, volunteers and base community all pulled together in a great effort to make Radiothon 2004 one of the most prosperous Radiothons. The annual event is the base's largest fundraising event for the Navy Marine Corps Relief Society (NMCRS). This year, over \$10,000 was raised.

Who was the top donator this year? None other than those lovely ladies from the Officers' and Civilians' Spouses Club (OCSC). Listeners will not soon forget the OCSC version of Kokomo, which took over two of the "repeater song" time slots. (For those, who missed the Radiothon, repeater songs played at the :00; :15; :30 and :45 minute marks.)

With a seemingly neverending supply of money, the club donated over \$2,000 during Radiothon 2004 and at the end of the week had "bought" all the "repeater song" time slots.

"We had a very successful Radiothon," boasted NMC Petty Officer-in Charge, IC1 Daniel Nelson. "We did something new this year, we added auctions, where people could call in and pledge money on the donated items."

Different auctions were held every day and included such items as televisions, running shoes, car rentals and fishing poles. According to Nelson, the auctions brought in \$1,355 for the fund drive.

The Navy Exchange, Kvaerner, Morale Welfare and Recreation, Phoenix Cable, Lisa DeGroff (Pampered Chef), and Heather Schwartz (watercolor painting), all graciously donated items for the auctions.

Radiothon 2004 kicked off on Monday, April 26, with the help of Marine Corps Security Forces Company, Executive Officer, Capt. William Elliott and NMCRS Representatives MAC(SW) Jeffrey McKennie and AEC(AW) Jim Warren.





Scholastic Newsline

Navy College Office

Susan Wheless, director, Navy College-Kings Bay, is visiting GTMO until Tuesday, May 18, 2004.

Workshops are being held throughout the coming week. Please call 3996 to schedule an appointment to speak with her.

Testing Control Officer

The Testing Control Officer, HMC Gina Siefert, is off island until May 18. She will be happy to schedule CLEP and DANTES exams upon her return.

Columbia College

Now is the time to get started on your educational goals! Registration is underway for Columbia College's Summer Session. Five classes are running locally to include Human Health, Statistics I, Business Ethics, Judicial Process, and Public Administration and Policy.

Additionally, there are over 180 classes to choose from online. Don't wait as seats are limited. Sign up today!

For more information on Columbia College, contact Ellen Soucy or Tammy Record at 5555.



Columbia College Course Schedule

Winter Session (03/15) - May 31 - July 24, 2004

Classes Begin - May 31

Classes end - July 24

Registration - Beginning April 26 for new and current students

Add/Drop & Withdrawal Dates - June 1 - last day to add classes

June 7 - last day to drop classes **without financial or academic liability**

July 9 - last day for withdrawal from classes **without a punitive grade**

Tuition and Fees - Tuition for "in seat" classes is \$135 per credit hour. Tuition for "Online Campus" class is \$175. All courses are three semester hours. Application fee is \$35. Lab fee is \$20.

Textbooks - Textbooks can be ordered at <http://direct.mbsbooks.com> or call MBS Direct at 800-325-3252.

Questions - Phone: 5555; Fax: 9460; Email: epsoucy@ccis.edu or tkrecord@ccis.edu; Website: www.ccis.edu

Columbia College reserves the right to cancel any scheduled class based on individual class enrollments or instructor availability.

Additional classes may be added to this schedule. For course prerequisites, refer to the Columbia College catalog.

Available Classes for Winter Session (03/14)

Monday/Wednesday - 4:50 -7:20pm

BIOL 105 Human Health - A study of health, safety, and nutrition and the decisions that are faced throughout a lifetime. Consumer health, mental health, physical health, sex and reproduction, drugs, and death and dying are the major topics covered. **Instructor:** S. Covington-Hyatt **Location:** Room 14

MGMT 311 Public Administration & Policy - Examination of growth, structure, role, methods, and policy of the national bureaucracy and its impact in American government and society. *Prerequisite:* POSC 111. **Instructor:** V. Richmond **Location:** Room 15

Tuesday/Thursday - 4:50 - 7:20pm

MGMT 368 Business Ethics - Analysis of principles used to evaluate ethical issues facing today's business community as well as to formulate possible solutions. This course satisfies the General Education Ethics requirement for Business Administration and Computer Information Systems majors. *Prerequisite:* MGMT 330. **Instructor:** TBA **Location:** Room 14

POSC 340 Judicial Process - Study of the state and federal court systems and the impact which those systems have on American politics and society. *Prerequisite:* POSC 111. **Instructor:** I. Stenning **Location:** Room 15

Tuesday/Thursday - 7:30 -10:00pm

MATH 250 Statistics - Probability theory, random variables, probability distributions, descriptive statistics, confidence intervals, and hypothesis testing. *Prerequisites:* MATH 150 or MATH 170 or MATH 180 with grade of "C" or better. **Instructor:** M. Lowe **Location:** Room 17

Ombudsman Outlook

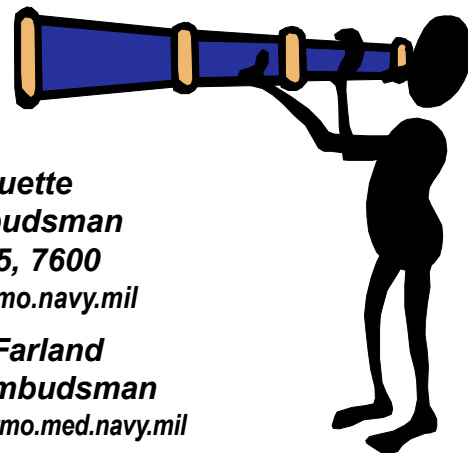
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Travel To and From GTMO

If you want to know more about getting on and off the island, how many Space A seats there are, etc., please contact the Leeward Air Terminal at 6204! Summer will be here before you know it and many of us like to go off island at least for a little while. Here's a mini-checklist for traveling off island:

1. Make sure you have taken the anti-terrorism training course and that it's current! It's only valid for approximately one year.
2. Carry your letter of residency. (This needs to go through your chain of command and is validated by housing)
3. Carry your I.D. Card, Passport
4. Carry your birth certificates and social security cards
5. Carry your leave paperwork AT ALL TIMES
6. Remember Operational Security! Do not discuss where you are stationed or draw attention to yourself when traveling.

Remember! If you wish to travel Space A, you must be on leave BEFORE signing up for Space A. Also, Space A is limited and depending on how many tickets are purchased and mission requirements, there may be no seats available for Space A. Space A is NOT a guaranteed ticket!

Planning a Summer Vacation? SATO Can Help

Planning a summer vacation? Check out SatoVacations.com on the web and find some great resources and planning tips. SatoTravel has served the United States military and government customer for 50 years. They have now partnered with Militarylifestyle.com to bring you the best vacations at the best value.

SatoVacations.com offers you:

Special military discounts on vacations and cruises

On-line and toll-free access to SatoTravel Vacation Center

Access to air, car, and hotel reservations 24/7

The option of receiving their exclusive newsletter - SatoVacationsFLYR

A travel resource center with travel tips, passport and visa information, currency conversion, weather and more

Home-page specials - the latest discounts on tours and cruises.

Help Make W.T. Sampson School Better! Take the School Improvement Survey

Do you have a lot of thoughts about improvements or changes for the school? Here's your opportunity to voice them! Susan Stanton is part of the School Improvement Team and has asked parents to share their ideas by completing the online School Improvement Survey at www.surveymonkey.com/s.asp?u=12809409636.

Ombudsman FYI

Military Spouse Appreciation

The Navy celebrates Military Spouse Appreciation Day May 9. This day has been set aside to honor and thank our unsung heroes – the many men and women who support their uniformed spouses at home.

"These spouses deserve to know how grateful the Navy, their spouses and their country are for their support and devotion," said Capt. Kim Drury, director of the Fleet and Family Support Division, Navy Personnel Command.

The personal sacrifices military spouses must make are a key component in helping the Navy reach its readiness, retention and recruitment goals. Military husbands and wives deserve to be acknowledged for meeting the challenges that come with the military lifestyle, Drury said. Spouses endure frequent moves to unknown towns, long deployments and wartime fears. They do all of this for love of their spouses and their country.

Get Involved! PTO, ISCA & Booster Club Meetings

The Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), Installation School Advisory Committee and the High School Booster Club offer parents great opportunities to get involved in their children's education. If your schedule permits, attend one of the following:

PTO - Monday, May 10, 5:30 p.m. in room A9 at the Elementary Complex. Elections will be held for a new PTO board.

ISAC - Wednesday, May 12, 5 p.m. in the HS Media Center. They will be discussing important issues concerning the children's educational programs and need input from everyone.

Booster Club - Monday May 10 at 6:30 p.m. at the HS Media Center. Officers are needed to run the Booster Club next year.



W.T. Sampson Proudly Celebrates



TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

For the past 15 years, communities across the country have set aside the first full week of May to shower their teachers and those who help support the education system with well-deserved thanks.

Teaching is truly a gift that lasts a lifetime. Teacher Appreciation Week is a time to focus our attention on the outstanding contributions our teachers make to our children's future and our society.

Giving teachers the recognition and status they deserve as professionals is just one way we can continue to add to the quality of education in our school. Take this opportunity to show your child's teachers that you appreciate their dedicated efforts - all it takes is a simple "Thank you."

During May 3-7, the W.T. Sampson schools, the Parent and Teachers Organization and the community will be honoring those who make a difference in the lives of our children - the school administration, other students, auxiliary staff, nurses, volunteers, and, of course, teachers!

A LITTLE HISTORY

National Teacher Day focuses on the contributions teachers make to help children succeed in school and in life. Public schools are where children learn to be Americans. School is where they learn the Pledge of Allegiance and the U.S. Constitution. It provides students their first opportunity to vote. It is where we all learn that wherever we are from, we are united as Americans.

The origins of Teacher Day are murky. Around 1944 Arkansas teacher Mattye Whyte Woodridge began corresponding with political and education leaders about the need for a national day to honor teachers. Woodridge wrote to Eleanor Roosevelt who in 1953 persuaded the 81st Congress to proclaim a National Teacher Day.

The National Education Association (NEA), along with its Kansas and Indiana state affiliates and the Dodge City (Kan.) local, lobbied Congress to create a national day celebrating teachers. Congress declared March 7, 1980, as National Teacher Day for that year only.

NEA and its affiliates continued to observe Teacher Day on the first Tuesday in March until 1985, when NEA and the National PTA established Teacher Appreciation Week as the first full week of May. The NEA Representative Assembly then voted to make the Tuesday of that week National Teacher Day.

If you can read this, thank a teacher!

Many teachers agree that good teaching is its own reward, but Teacher Appreciation Week is a great time to let teachers know how they have touched kids' lives. In fact, any day is a good day to thank a teacher!

Celebrating Teachers

When children go off to school, you wonder what they'll learn.

You hope and pray that the troubles of the day, in the classroom are not a concern.

When a child always comes home inspired, and looking forward to each learning day.

You look to the teacher for answers, to why the child responds this way.

So teacher, to you we are grateful, for encouragement and love you have shown.

For teaching children to cherish their cultures, and respect those that aren't their own.

We thank you for being creative, for allowing your students to shine.

Through the making of crafts and understanding books, you excited and strengthened their minds

We don't know if our children, will have another teacher quite like you.

But their memories of this precious year, will be revealed in all that they do. And years from now with their success, this effort they will redeem.

To a teacher that's the greatest gift, and a parent's answered dream!

GTMO SHOPPER

FOR SALE

(1) SURFBOARD - like new, long board 7'10" with soft carry case, ankle strap, and wax. Call 7916 - fair price negotiable.

(1) ELECTRIC BASS GUITAR & AMP - like new, package deal with many extras, straps, strings, books, etc. Call 7916 for all the details on make and model - fair price negotiable.

(1) Baby Crib with Mattress, \$50; changing table, \$25; 2 matching carseats, \$10 each; car booster seat, \$5; umbrella stroller, \$3; bikerack for trunk, \$15; and more. FMI 5545.

(1) Blue Spider AMG Classic Paintball Marker. Excellent condition and has been well maintained. Selling with 200 round hopper and vertical elbow, as well as Dye "Excel" barrel. Asking \$250 OBO. FMI, call Rick at 4455 (DWH) or 7755 (AWH).

(1) Black/white leather sofa and love seat, matching glass-top coffee table - \$500 for set; Queen sized bed, \$100; Day bed, \$50. FMI, call Sean at 7364.

(1) Washer, \$150; Dryer, \$70 (available June 16); Microwave, \$50; Food Processor, \$40 (never used); weight bars & dumbbell handles (no weights), \$5-15; golfclubs and bag, \$40. FMI, call 5353.

(1) Speed Queen Dryer, works great, \$50 obo; kayak car racks, \$30 obo; and dirt devil hand vac, like new \$15. Call 7797.

(1) 19 inch perfect flat BLACK CRT View Sonic computer monitor for sale at \$150.00. Call John at 7154.

(2) Dive Gear Storage Closet, \$30; Pine Dresser, \$30; Tool Bench (Length of Carport), \$40; & misc. wood stains. Call 5600.

(2) Two solid dressers, small hutch, - make an offer - you can have them cheap! Call Karen at 5847

(2) Sony DCR-TRV 70, 2.5" LCD mini dv Camcorder - one month old, \$850. Call Omar 7689(h) or 2153(w).

(2) Forest Green carpet w/vacuum cleaner - \$100. Call Jeff (w) 4740 or (h) 7078.

(2) One Sherwood BCD - \$50; PlayStation 2 w/ games and a 19" TV, \$275 OBO. Call Feliciano at 7969 or 72190.

(2) ITEMS FOR SALE: Matching sofa and love seat with 4 recliners, chamois-colored, (6 months old) \$900, available 5/12; Dive Gear: 2 medium BC's \$35 and \$25; Medium fins (US Diver's blades) \$10; US Diver's regulator with gauges and octopus, \$50; Oak claw-foot coffee table with glass insert top, \$50; Small heavy-duty shop bench with metal top, \$25; Yamaha acoustic guitar with case, extra strings, \$100 firm (available 5/12); Antique Coleman 3-burner camping stove in very good condition, \$25; Rechargeable electric Coleman lantern, \$5; California King bed, \$200 (available 5/12); Penn 340 GTI fishing reel with Penn Senator fishing rod, \$175 firm (used once); New VCR, \$25; 27" color T.V., \$25 (available 5/12). Call Gary, DWH: 4085, AWH: 7403

(2) Washer/Dryer set for \$160. Available for pick up on June 6/7. Call 4465.

(3) Entertainment Center, \$30; Coffee & end tables, \$30. FMI, call Janelle at 4511(W) or 7170 (H).

(3) Compaq Presario Laptop - Pentium 3 w/ 850mhz, 320 Ram - Windows XP professional. Various programs, CD-rewritable and floppy disk drive swappable - \$600. Call 8740, lv. message.

(3) ITEMS FOR SALE - 12' x 12' burgundy rug \$75, Computer desk \$75, Swivel adjustable computer chair \$25, Sanyo Microwave \$40, Wireless Logitech Comfort Duo Black Keyboard / Mouse \$50 FMI, call Jon at 4217 DWH or Sean at 4043 DWH, or 84204 AWH, email j_bakert@hotmail.com (Jon)

VEHICLES/BOATS

(1) JET SKI 1992 Yamaha Waverunner III with Trailer. Runs great with many extras, knee board, life jackets, hand held radio, etc. Call 7916 - fair price negotiable.

(1) 1985 Plymouth Roadster. This is the topless black Gran Fury with flames you may have seen on the GTMO roads. 318cu V8 Police Package. Vinyl seats with seat covers make it weatherproof. This car is dependable and a blast to drive. New tires, battery, Satellite Radio and CD player. \$1000 firm. Call John Kajander at 5174(w) or 8659 (h).

(1) Honda Scooter, \$1,500 firm. Many extra's. Please call 7804.

(1) 1999 Ford Windstar SEL Minivan - Engine: V6 3.8 Liter, Trans: Automatic, Mileage: 52,000. Equipment: Second Sliding Door, Power Sliding Doors, 7 Passenger, A/C, Rear A/C, P/S, P/W, Power Door Locks, Tilt Wheel, Cruise Control, AM/FM Stereo Cassette, Single Compact Disc, ABS, Leather, Dual Power Seats, Alloy Wheels. Excellent condition, asking \$12,300. FMI, call 7429.

(1) Lincoln Towncar 1988, Excellent Body condition and Engine. Leather seats, Loaded, Power steering, New tires, New Transmission, New CD player and AM/FM Radio. Luxury car with title. Less than one year in GTMO. Price \$2000 (OBO). Call Jamal at 8092.

(1) 1993 Buick LaSabre - V6 engine, AM/FM/CD/Cassette (new Jensen system), A/C, fully loaded - additional items include - front brake pads, rear break shoes, spare keys, lifting jack. Asking \$5,500 OBO. Call Amell at 8032.

(1) 1986 Oldsmobile Cutlass Sierra. \$1500 or best offer. Good condition w/schedule of maintenance performed available. Call Doug at 8648, weekender4200@yahoo.com.

(1) 1989 Plymouth Acclaim - \$1500.00 (excellent condition, some new parts and upkeep of oil and fluid changes every 3 months). Call Judy at 3500 or after 5pm at 5518.

(1) 1990 Ford Ranger - \$2,500, Automatic V6, Maroon, reliable, no rust. Available May 13th. Call Sean x4043 DWH, or 84204 AWH

(2) 1987 Suzuki Samurai 4x4 - white w/bikini top. Comes w/20 softtops, AM/FM/CD - \$3,500 OBO. FMI, call Wil or Jonna, 7876.

(2) 24-ft Pontoon Boat - 50HP Johnson, screened in cabin and upper sun-deck.

Southern Cross on Pier 33 - \$1,300. FMI, call 7876.

(2) 2001 Dodge Ram 1500 Crew Cab, only 24K miles, Loaded. Very Nice. asking \$18K. Call Gary: DDH: 4085, ADH: 7403 or 84158

(2) 1999 Ford Ranger XLT - new tires, new front and rear brakes. In great condition. Only 46,000 miles on it. Asking \$6,000. Contact Cyndi at rodriguezcf@usnbgtno.navy.mil orpage at 4084 ext. 1183.

(3) 1999 Harley Davidson Heritage Softail Classic motorcycle. Excellent condition. Laser Red Peril color. Kept inside out of weather and only has a little over 1800 GTMO miles on it. Serious inquiries only. Call Rick at 4455 (DWH) or 7755 (AWH).

(3) 89 Jeep Cherokee 5-speed, 4 liter, straight 6 - \$2500, available May 13 at Ferry Landing. Call Jeff at (h) 7078 or (w) 4616.

(3) 1990 Pontiac Lemans, red hatchback. Good shape. Will be leaving about June 14. \$1,700. Call 7400.

(3) 1999 Chevy Blazer ZR-2. Red, 2dr, 4x4, Vortec V6, auto, 31" AT tires, off road package. Brush Guard w/lights, Roof rack w/lights. Intake, CD. 57K. \$13,500obo. Call Brad @ 7969 for questions! Email me at bjcooley@gtmo.med.navy.mil for a color picture of the vehicle.

(3) 1988 Isuzu Trooper II 4X4, 5 door, AC, bike rack, room for tanks, rods, coolers etc... Very Clean & Runs Great! Available May 6 - \$3500. Call 5600.

PETS

Male (older) tabby cat free to a good home with no or older children - comes with a litter box and what ever litter/cat food we have left at the time. FMI, call 7360 and we live in VL-7B. He is available now.

Female Lab/Golden Retriever mix - black, 7yrs old. Great with kids! FMI, call 7876.

Male (4 yrs old) Lab/Dane mix. Good with children 6 and up. FMI, call 7876.

SERVICES

Need some time to yourself? Baby sitting services provided - please call 7405.

Need lawn or yard work done? Call Chaz at 7466.

EMPLOYMENT

The NEX has the following job openings:
Laundry/ Dry Cleaning Clerk- Full Time
Cashier - Cash Office - Full Time
Cashier - Cash Office - Part Time
Supervisory Sales Clerk - Full Time
Retail Operations Clerk - Full Time
Invoice Audit Clerk - Full Time
Security Guard - Part Time
Motor Vehicle Operator/ Route Man - Full Time
Embroidery Machine Operator - Full Time
Receptionist/ Cashier Beauty Shop - Part Time
Motorcycle Mechanic (Prefer Harley Davidson Certified) - Contracted
if interested in a position, stop by the 2nd floor of the NEX to pick up an application.

MWR Media Office is looking for a Media and Marketing Assistant. FMI, contact the Personnel Office in Building 760 or call 4323.

Ocean Enterprises is looking for fun, energetic people for full and part time hours! Mon, Wed & Fri 2 p.m. - 7 p.m., Saturdays 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. & Sundays 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. We prefer that you are into Scuba Diving or snorkeling. We do need to fill the Assistant Manager position ASAP, so come for some fun! If interested, contact Esther or Jessie at 5336 during working hours.

The following are job vacancies currently open through the Human Resources Office.

Open Continuous Vacancies:

Practical Nurse

FMI, call Human Resources Office, 4441.

WANTED

Wanted - People interestd in table-top, role-playing games (ie. Dungeon and Dragons)? Or, those interested in the Society for Creative Anachronism (S.C.A.) who miss their Shire/ Kingdom and want to meet people with similar interests? Call the Mullens at 5867.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Booster Club Meeting - Want to do something to help the students at the high school? Come to the next Booster Club meeting on Monday, May 10 at 6:30 p.m. in the HS media center. Officers are needed to run the Booster Club next year. Come on out and support the students. The Booster Club raises money for the different organizations in the high school. For more information call Barbara Olsen at 7685 or Corinne Johnson at 7633.

Installation/School Advisory Committee Meeting - Wednesday, May 12 at 5 p.m. in the HS Media Center. Come and welcome our new I/SAC members.

Home Education - Chips & Salsa - Saturday, May 15, 9 a.m., in the the NEX atrium. Fresh chips & salsa and homemade tortillas. Come out and support the Home Education Network.

NEX Advisory Board Meeting - Wed., May 19 at 2 p.m. in Buckley Hall Auditorium. Open to public and all base departments.

May Coupon Meeting - Wednesday, May 19, 7-9 p.m., at the Community Center. Everyone invited. Plenty of coupons to share. FMI, call 5545 or 7741.

Attention! If you placed a Mat order with **Karen's Kreations** (now Thursday Morning Fine Art) at a previous craft fair, you must pick it up BEFORE Wednesday, 12 May. That is my final pack-out date, and I need to ensure everyone gets their orders! Please call ASAP - 5847.

FREE FERRY SCHEUDLES - DAPS (aka Print Shop)has full color, pocket size Ferry Schedules. Each card contains the ferry schedule and photos of GTMO and various wildlife. Swing by theoffice (right behind McDonalds)to pick one up any day in May.

AA Meetings - Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Rm. 4 on Chapel Hill.

Conch season closed April and May. This is

Community Announcements

In an effort to show appreciation to all those who have dedicated their time and service to the W.T. Sampson Schools by serving as volunteers . . .



W.T. Sampson Volunteer Tea

Friday, May 21 at 1 p.m.
at the Elementary School Gym

*Let us thank you for making a difference
in the lives of our students!*

American Red Cross Needs



Helping Hands May 28



*Volunteers needed to portray disaster victims
for our base-wide Disaster Exercise. Please
contact the American Red Cross Office, 5060.*

Vacating Quarters?

√Stop by Housing to fill out
"Intent to Vacate" paperwork at
least 30 days prior to PCS move.
Bring a copy of your orders, too.

√Arrange for loaner furniture
√Set-up inspections with
Housing Manager.

√Questions? Call 4172/4174.



Lights Out!



** Leaving outside lights on
has no effect in keeping
away banana rats*

** It is against base policy
to leave outdoor lighting
on all night because it is a
waste of energy*

** All outdoor lighting
should be off by 10 p.m.*

NEX Gas Station

There are currently only 2
working pumps. These pumps
are operating VERY SLOWLY.

NEX is working to get this
problem resolved.

We appreciate the
patience of
our
customers
during this
inconvenience.

FMI, call
Mari Georgi
at 4365.



the peak of Conch breeding, and the closed
season helps maintain a sustainable fishery.

YARD SALES

Sat., May 8 - CC08, 7:30 - 11 a.m. No early
birds please! Misc. items and childrens
clothing.

Sat., May 15- Caribbean Circle 3B from 7 to 10
a.m. Lots of clothes, toys, microwave, washer,
dryer, and bikes. No early birds.

LOST & FOUND

Lost: African Heritage Bible - last seen on bus
from TK housing to NAVSTA Chapel. Inside

inscription with owner's name-Joe Purnell. Any
Information, contact Tracie Hathorn DWH 4119
AWH 5684

PERSONALS

George and Gail Mitchum would like to
announce the graduation of their daughter,
Katie Mitchum, from the University of Alabama
at Birmingham. She graduates Summa Cum
Laude with a Bachelor of Science Degree in
Biology. Katie plans on continuing her
education at UAB in the Surgical Physician
Assistants Program. CONGRATULATIONS! We
are proud of you! Mom and Dad

To the woman who will always be the prettiest
woman in the whole world in her little girl's

eyes; the fun mom who went on all the field
trips, who brought my best friend home in a
box one day after school in 2nd grade, who
never said "No" to the un-important things,
but has a strange 6th sense and is always
right about the important things, who taught
me the meaning and importance of "family"
and who gave me a better life than I could
ever imagine. I can't believe that the years
have flown by so quickly and never again will
I be the chubby little girl with the big glasses
coming home from school and telling you all
about my day. The only comfort I have in
getting older is that I have you to look to and
show me the way. I miss you and love you
every day! "You raise me up to more than I
can be." HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY! -Tootie

Worship Services

Catholic Mass

(Main Chapel) **Monday - Friday**
Mass (Cobre Chapel) 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday

Holy Hour/Rosary 5 p.m.
(Cobre Chapel)

Saturday

Reconciliation 4:30 p.m.
Eucharist/Mass 5:30 p.m.

Sunday

Eucharist/Mass 9 a.m.
La Santa Misa (Spanish) 10:15 a.m.
Eucharistic Adoration
(Cobre Chapel) Daily 24hrs

Protestant Services

Sunday

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Services - Main Chapel 11 a.m.
Children's Sunday School 11:30 a.m.

New Life

(Main Chapel) **Sunday**

Worship Service 1 p.m.

Friday

Bible Study 7 p.m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints

(Sanctuary A)

Sunday

Sunday Sacrament 9 a.m.

Monday

Family Home Evening 6 p.m.

Wednesday

Ladies Relief Society 7 p.m.

Thursday

Young Women 7 p.m.

Filipino Christian Fellowship

(Sanctuary A) **Sunday**

Worship 6 p.m.

Iglesia Ni Cristo

(Sanctuary B) **Sunday**

Worship 8 p.m.

Pentecostal Gospel Temple

(Room 13) **Sunday**

Worship 8 a.m. & 5 p.m.

Seventh Day Adventist

(Sanctuary B) **Saturday**

Divine Service 11 a.m.

Islamic Service

(Classroom 18) **Friday**

Worship 1 p.m.

United Jamaican Fellowship

(BLDG. 1036 - Next to Phoenix Cable)
Sunday Service 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.

Camp America Troopers Chapel

Protestant Service

Sunday 7:30 a.m.

Soul Survivor (Club Survivor)
Wednesday 7 p.m.

Roman Catholic

Sunday 5 p.m.

Alpha: Tuesdays

7 p.m., Rm L1/CANN

Thursday Ticket: Thursday

7 p.m., Rm L1/CANN

**For information about
programs & services, call 2323.**

MAN ON FIRE

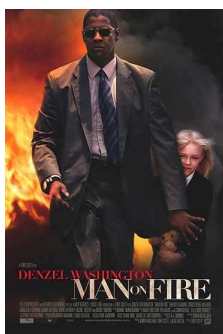
Action/Thriller

146min

Starring:

Denzel Washington,
Dakota Fanning,
Christopher Walken

A government operative/soldier of fortune, who has given up on life, reluctantly agrees to take a job in Mexico City to protect a child whose parents are threatened by a wave of kidnappings.



DIRTY DANCING: HAVANNA NIGHTS

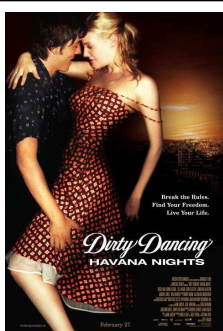
Drama/Romance

87min

Starring:

Diego Luna,
Romola Garai

In 1958, Katey Miller moves to Havana with her parents, who expect her to move within their well-to-do circles, but she defies their wishes when she falls in love with Xavier, a waiter who also happens to be a fantastic dancer.



DAWN OF THE DEAD

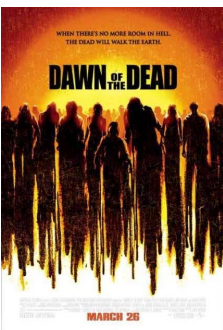
Horror/Suspense

100min

Starring:

Ving Rhames,
Mekhi Phifer

As the U.S. is turned upside down by a strange plague-like event in which millions of corpses walk the earth as blood thirsty zombies, a small group of survivors try to find shelter and protection within a massive shopping mall.



TAKING LIVES

Drama/Suspense

103min

Starring:

Angelina Jolie,
Ethan Hawke,
Keifer Sutherland

A top FBI profiler, Special Agent Illeana Scott is called in by French Canadian police to catch a serial killer who has spent the past 20 years taking on the identities of his victims.



Movies

FRIDAY, MAY 7

8 p.m. Dirty Dancing:
Havana Nights
PG 87min

10pm Dawn Of The Dead
PG13 137min

SATURDAY, MAY 8

8 p.m. The Alamo
PG13 137min

10 p.m. Taking Lives
R 103min

SUNDAY, MAY 9

8 p.m. Man On Fire
R 146min

MONDAY, MAY 10

8pm Dirty Dancing:
Havana Nights
PG 87min

TUESDAY, MAY 11

8 p.m. Dawn Of The Dead
PG13 137min

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12

8 p.m. Taking Lives
R 103min

THURSDAY, MAY 13

8 p.m. Secret Window
PG13 117min



Liberty Center Night Fishing

May 7

Boat departs Marina at 5:30 p.m.

Limited seating available

FMI, call 2010

Mother's Day Bowling Special

May 9

11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Mother's bowl for free

FMI, call 2118

Mother's Day Brunch

May 9

9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Price - \$11.50

Mothers and children 15 and under
eat for half price at the Bayview

Knowledge Bowl 2004

The Community Library invites you to be
part of "Knowledge Bowl 2004"

May 14

7 p.m. at the Windjammer

4 participants per team

Call 4700 or email Maxine Becker at

beckerma@usnbgtno.navy.mil

To register your team

FMI, call Maxine or Amelia at 4700

Spring Fitness Festival

May 15

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at GJ Denich Gym

FMI, call Karissa at 2193

Email sandstromka@usnbgtno.navy.mil

Parents Night Out

Villamar CDC is open for Parents Night
Out every week. To hold a spot for your
child a reservation fee of \$2.50 is due by
Thursday of each week. An additional fee
of \$1.50 is due for each additional child of
the same family. This reservation fee is
non-refundable.

One hour \$2.50 - Two hours \$5.00 - Three
hours or more \$12 for the evening.

For specific dates or more information,
call 3664.

For more information on any of the
events listed above, call 5225.